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JOB PRINTING

ALL KINDS AT THE "REGISTER" OFFICE.

THE Chicago multi-millionaire merchant, Marshall Field, died last Tuesday, after a week's illness. The fortune he leaves behind him is estimated at \$150,000,000. *Sic transit gloria mundi!*

JEFFERSON CITY Tribune: "The two most quoted country editors in Missouri are the venerable, but vigorous, Eli D. Ake of the Ironton REGISTER, and Kelly Pool of the Centralia Courier. Each has an original way of saying things and a deft hand at mixing the sugar and vinegar."

SENATOR FRANK FARRIS, the noted politician who postponed his boodle case out of court, wants to be re-elected to get the vindication of his constituents in his chicanery.—Fredericktown Tribune.

That is just about as near the truth as some Republican editors will permit themselves to get. Senator Farris' case was not "postponed out of court." A full, free and fair trial was had and he was acquitted by a jury of twelve men, some of whom probably were as honest and square as the editor of the Tribune.

I SEE that no less than a Bishop must perform the coming White House marriage ceremony. Of course this is right and proper and all that sort of thing; but if there ever was a time when the church—or at least a big portion of it—didn't kow-tow to temporal vanities, history fails to note it. According to the Scriptural view there are no degrees in Christianity save those established by excellence in purity and goodness; but temporally the scale is often reversed. The world recognizes the place and not the occupant. Hence, no less than a Bishop must serve the King.

CHINA is boycotting American goods, and it is perhaps natural that she should do so. After forcing her, at the cannon's mouth, to open her ports to the Christian world, we, when our temporal advantage demanded it, closed our ports to her. Our merchants must be permitted to locate and trade in China with the "heathen," but the foot of no Celestial is permitted to pollute our territories. John Chinaman, being blinded with his superstitions, cannot see the fairness or appreciate the beauties of that time-honored Christian game of "heads I win and tails you lose." But under foreign tuition he is learning, and there is hope for his future.

THE Ironton REGISTER says "fakism and hypocrisy" now rule the Democratic party in Missouri. That is just what the St. Louis brewers say who are organizing their forces to oppose the Democratic party in the next campaign. Happily the REGISTER is about the only Democratic paper we know of that thinks as the brewers do.—Jackson Cash-Book.

Bro. Mac, I don't know just how the St. Louis brewers say it, but I did not and do not spell and print it "hypocrisy." As to my thinking like the brewers—well, I can tell what a man says, if he speaks plainly; as to his thinking, that's another matter. Is the power to read thought one of the godlike gifts awarded the Folkite because of his virtuous super-altitudinosity?

SAY, isn't it about time for the "Democratic party" of this State to take another "pilgrimage" behind a couple of ear loads of booze to the tomb of Jefferson? Of course ex-Lieut.-Gov. John A. Lee and the crowd in the penitentiary—Long John Dolan, Garret & Co.—would have to be left behind, but Uncle Eli Ake, Jim Butler and Frank Farris could go.—Scott County Kicker.

Yes, "Uncle Eli Ake could go" and by aid of the ear-loads of booze graduate into a confirmed inebriate. Then he might take the "Keely Cure," return home, run for county office and be overwhelmingly defeated. This would fit him to be a censor of other people's morals and enable him to view with jaundiced eye all persons not so experienced and tutored. The Bard of Avon sang, "Sweet are the uses of adversity," but I observe that my old friend Phil turns them to gall and vinegar. Is the fault with him or was the divine William singing through his hat?

FOR some sixty years or more, the civilized and gun-cultured nations have been relieving the tedium of the interims when they were not engaged in cutting each other's throats, by having a little fun with poor old China. The occasion desired for a little pagan blood-letting, the pretext has been easy. Did John grow restive under the arrogance of the Christian trader, he was quickly taught to better curb his native impatience. He has often been detected muddying the water down stream, to the annoyance and discomfort of his war-tutored neighbors drinking at the fountain-head. Of course he had to be schooled, and, properly, at his own cost, with the usual Christian interest added. Notwithstanding his numerous down-sets, however, he still presumes to long and hope for the coming of a time when he shall no longer be a door-mat for the feet of the outside barbarian. "At the Economic Club dinner," says the venerable editor of *Our Dumb Animals*, "held in Boston on December 15, President Elliot of Harvard University and Mr. Poon Chew, one of the most intelligent and influential Chinamen in America, were the principal speakers, and after dinner Mr. Poon Chew, speaking of the exclusion of the Chinese from our country, said that in ten years China would be in a position to command the respect of all nations, that in time she might watch the funeral processions of various European powers, that he only asked to live ten years longer to witness the glory of his country, and then would say, 'Now, Lord, let thy servant depart in peace.' We have said before, and now say again, that it is by no means impossible that the time will come when it will be found necessary to destroy the Suez Canal to prevent the warships of China from bombarding the coast cities of France."

Des Arc Items.

Wm. Carter, President and General Manager of the Des Arc Mining Company, was up from Piedmont Monday and Wednesday taking options on land around Des Arc. They will commence work in the spring.

E. W. Graves is putting in a handle factory and electric light plant. He will make all kinds of handles and will work twenty-five additional hands. He will buy hickory at the different sidings on this railroad. This will be of great benefit to our town.

Stomach Cure for Cold.

It may seem queer to you that most colds begin in your stomach; but it's true. Many a weak stomach, chronic indigestion, obstinate constipation, etc., weaken you all over, and make you an easy prey to any disease that may be stalking around. To cure a cold, take good dose of Dr. Caldwell's (laxative) Syrup Pepsin, a hot bath and a good night's rest. To prevent colds, keep your digestion in good order with Dr. Caldwell's (laxative) Syrup Pepsin. Quick relief for constipation, biliousness, etc. Try it. Sold by Arcadia Valley Drug Co. at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

The Republic.

We yesterday bought a copy of that mugwump sheet, the St. Louis Republic. Something we occasionally do, like we buy calomel, opium and asafetida.

On a party Democrat reading of its editorials have about the same effect as the combined action of the above medicines on the system.

One of the first articles we find in an editorial on party organization and a lecture to Democrats. What right has it to advise, admonish or direct Democrats? It lent its aid to the lying of the Democratic party out of power in this State last campaign and now asks old, reliable and consistent Democrats to swallow its political direction. It can continue its editorial droolings, but they will have no effect except to make active and regular Democrats violate one of the ten commandments.

If a few old harpies like the Republic were in that extremely heated country where they belong, the coming of the Democrats into full power in this State would simply be a matter of the first opportunity to hold an election.—Moberly Democrat.

Coming Events.

You can tell you are in for a dangerous sickness, as soon as you begin to suffer from headache, constipation, biliousness, etc., unless you quickly take Dr. Caldwell's (laxative) Syrup Pepsin. This successful cure for all disorders of your digestive organs, never fails to give relief from all the irritant poisons, kept in by clogged bowels, liver and kidneys. Sold by Arcadia Valley Drug Co. at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

The clean sweep sale inaugurated by the Lopez Store Co. promises to be a record breaker, every article in the big store will be slaughtered in price. Do not fail to attend and secure some of the unparalleled bargains.

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The Clifton Remedy Company is showing here this week. This is a good show for the money and is richly worth the amount you pay; besides, their medicine is giving good satisfaction. They will be here one week.

Since the Holiness people have taken our town they say it is better, but I am sorry to say it is a mistake, for there is more stealing, drunkenness and misbehavior now than I ever knew. One night last week some boys or men entered the Methodist church through a window and burned all the Sunday school literature, song books and papers that the Sunday school people had just paid \$15 for, and had only used them once. They spit tobacco juice all over the bible and carpet; wrote vulgar words on the wall over the pulpit and left an empty bottle branded white oak whiskey, and ruined a \$50 church organ. The damage will amount to \$65.

Last Sunday night as two respectable young ladies were returning home from church a lot of boys called them bad names. The boys were arrested and paid fines; so this will put a stop to that kind of fun.

On Friday night a man was seen crawling up on a high porch at the post-office with the intention of robbery, but Miss Lena Farr happened to be up and came out on the porch and called for her papa, and the man skipped out.

The railroad detective was here last week looking for the parties who broke open the car-house. He found a lantern and a switch key, but so far has made no arrests. He also put a stop to boys jumping trains here.

Ollie Stevenson, brother of John and Wm. Stevenson, was married Sunday, by Rev. John Crowley, to Miss Macy Hickman, daughter of Burl Hickman of Des Arc. We wish them much joy and happiness.

Mrs. Thos. P. Fitz is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Geo. W. Morris, at Farmington.

Arthur Smith is visiting in St. Louis this week.

Dr. Jones of Brainard was in to see Carl Fitz, who is quite sick. Dr. Toney was here last week to see John Crowley, Jr.

Last week one of our Baptist women and a Sanctified woman got into trouble. The Baptist woman hit the Sanctified woman on the head with a club, and the result was that the Baptist woman got the best of it, but had to pay a fine of \$8.30. It seems we are having a little hell all around.

W. T. O'Neal was down Sunday. Also, the sheriff, John Marshall, looking after bad men and boys.

ISAAC.

A reasonable amount of food thoroughly digested and properly assimilated will always increase the strength. If your stomach is a "little off," Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will digest what you eat and enable the digestive organs to assimilate and transform all foods into tissue-building blood. Kodol relieves Sour Stomach, Belching, Heart-Burn and all forms of Indigestion. Palatable and strengthening. Sold by Arcadia Valley Drug Co.

Marble Creek Items.

As there is no correspondent from here I will inform you of the happenings.

The Kuhn brothers have just completed their new barn, and Will Kuhn is building one on his farm; but John Signor has just completed the banner barn on Marble Creek. It is 40x80 feet and 20 feet up to the square.

The Patterson brothers have completed their dwelling house.

L. L. Sutton has a new boy at his house, and he wears a broad smile.

W. R. Conley is rebuilding his mill that burned down on the 15th of December.

Geo. Sutherland has moved his family to Arcadia.

L. F. Knight, one of Marble Creek's enterprising farmers, bought the Geo. Showalter farm in rocky hollow.

The Patterson brothers sold a pair of year old mules to Asa Matkin for \$180.

Health is good on Marble Creek, but Nick Algier has the Oklahoma fever; and got it bad.

Leroy Matkin has returned home from Oklahoma in good health.

Misses Katie Alliger, Lora Reeves and Ida Miller are visiting friends and relatives on Owl Creek.

John Fenton moved his goods and chattels to Tennessee and back. John says Tennessee is a good country, but it is too wet for him.

Geo. J. Reeves made a trip to Oklahoma and back. He says that Oklahoma is a good country, but it is too dry for him. Fenton and

GO TO BROWN'S

Ladies' Capes, fur lined collar, 25c	Men's heavy Shoes	\$1.00
Ladies' fine button Shoes	Boys' heavy shoes	85c
Two spools thread	Boys' Knee Pants, age 3 to 8	15c
Men's Sweaters	Men's and Boys' Hats	25c
Boys' Sweaters	Men's double breasted heavy	50c
Boys' Caps	Jersey knit Shirts	50c
	Men's and Boys' wool Vests, 10c, 15c, 25c.	

Extra Big Reduction
In Ladies' Hats . . .

We are closing out all of our Ladies' and Misses' Winter Hats at a price cheaper than was ever before seen in Ironton. Buy before they are all gone.

Men's and Ladies' Watches, Good Time
Keepers, 89c, \$1, 1.25, 1.90, 2.25, 4.50.

We are now making a special low price on Fine Jewelry. Closing out Men's and Boys' Overcoats at greatly reduced price. Chinaware, Tinware, Glassware—the best in town for the money. Men's, women and Children's Underwear; it will keep you warm and save you money.

Special Low Price On

Children's, Misses' and Ladies' Cloaks and Jackets. Two Cloaks or Jackets, or a Hat and Cloak and Jacket at still greater reduction.

Shoes. We have the best and cheapest line of Shoes in town.

REMEMBER—A dollar will reach farther at Brown's than at most places. We will help you stretch your dollar—great is the power of a dollar at Brown's.

B. N. BROWN,
Ironton, Missouri.

Reveries have agreed that Missouri is just right.

I live in Old Missouri,
I'm glad to get you know,
Where the best of looking ladies
And big red apples grow.
Our lands are rich and rolling,
Our climate can't be beat.
Hurray for Old Missouri!
She's good enough for me!

J. R. G.

COMING TO IRONTON.

Three Months' Services
Free!

Dr. Stephenson, the Distinguished
Throat and Lung Surgeon, Eye
and Ear Expert.

Who has met with such wonderful success in New York and the West, will be in Ironton at the Kesling Hotel, west of the court-house, on Tuesday, January 23d, one day only, and every four weeks thereafter.

All invalids who consult this eminent specialist on this day will receive three months' services free. His long experience in the largest hospitals of the world enable him to successfully treat all chronic diseases such as bronchial, asthma and consumption, rheumatism, sleepless, brain and nervous exhaustion, paralysis, neuralgia, headache, fits, St. Vitus' dance, cancers, tumors, skin disease, including freckles, pimples, ulcers, scaldhead, etc., also heart, liver, stomach and kidney diseases, nervous debility, confusion of ideas, aversion to society, loss of memory and energy, etc. Diseases of the eye and ear quickly and permanently cured by original and never-failing remedy. Cures guaranteed when others failed, but we will not accept incurable cases. He will examine you thoroughly, free of charge, and if incurable, will frankly and kindly tell you so.

Take one candid thought before it is too late. A week or a month may place your case beyond reach of hope. Remember, it costs you nothing to consult this eminent specialist, and therefore the humble in circumstances can avail themselves of his vast experience. Catarrah and catarrhal deafness is positively and permanently cured by his new method.

The doctor gives special attention to the diseases of ladies. His cures are unequalled in the history of science. A lady in attendance. Office hours—9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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Obituary.

Died—January 4, 1906, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Alex. Brooks, Piedmont, Mo., Alexander Sherrill, who came here a few months ago from Iron county to make his home with his daughter. He was 84 years, 5 months and 12 days of age. He was born in Tennessee in 1821, came to Missouri at the age of 21, was married at the age of 25 to Miss Rachel Mounce, who preceded him several years to that bourne from whence no traveler returns. He was the father of twelve children, of whom nine are living. Four of his children were present to administer to his last wants. He was sick only a short time. All that medical skill and loving hands could do seemed of no avail; the summons came and he must go. He professed a hope in Christ and joined the Baptist Church in 1870. Though our hearts are sad and our home lonely, yet we feel assured our loss is his eternal gain. He expressed during his sickness his willingness to go. May the giver of all good sustain the bereaved, and at last reunite them on that shining shore to part no more. The funeral was conducted by the writer at 2 P. M. at the residence, after which sympathizing friends and sorrowing children followed the remains to the Piedmont cemetery, where he peacefully awaits the resurrection.

We miss thee from our home dear father,
We miss thee from thy place;
A shadow o'er our life is cast,
We miss the sunshine of thy face.
We miss thy kind and willing hand,
Thy fond and tender care;
Our home's dark without thee,
We miss thee everywhere.

Oh! may we walk the path he chose,
And him again we soon shall see,
Beyond this world of sin and woes,
With Jesus in eternity.

J. R. SINGLETON.

Piedmont, Jan. 12, 1906.

A Bargain.

If you wish to buy a bargain, all you have to do is get a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's (laxative) Syrup Pepsin, and use it at the least sign of headache, dizziness, constipation, biliousness, indigestion, etc. This small investment will be the best bargain you ever bought, for it will bring you health at a nominal cost. Try it. Sold by Arcadia Valley Drug Co. at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

We have a large stock of dry salt and smoked meats, breakfast bacon, premium bacon and hams, and prices are very low when quality is considered. Phone No. 41. H. Barnhouse, Ironton, Mo.

For bicycle repairs and repairing go to Albert.

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